



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Group Art Unit: 3611
Examiner: Anne Marie M. Boehler
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In Re PATENT APPLICATION OF:

Applicant:	Souichi Iwasa et al.)	
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Serial No.:	10/587,316)	
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Filed:	July 26, 2006)	AMENDMENT
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For:	ELECTRIC POWER STEERING DEVICE)	
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Atty. Ref.:	AI 423NP)	_____

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This Amendment is responsive to the Office Action mailed on March 28, 2008.

The period for reply is extended by a petition concurrently filed for a one-month extension of time. Additionally, a statement of Joint Research Agreement is filed herewith. Reconsideration of the subject Application is requested in view of the following amendments and remarks.